UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

IN RE:

ATRIUM MEDICAL CORP. C-QUR MESH PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION **MDL NO. 2753**

MDL Docket No. 1:16-md-02753-LM

Applies to All Cases

JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINES SET FORTH IN CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER 3H

The parties to the above matter jointly move to extend the deadlines set forth in Case Management Order 3H, and state as follows:

- 1. As indicated in the parties' Joint Agenda submitted to this Court for the March 14, 2019 status conference (Doc. No. 1090), the parties require additional time to complete the depositions of the physicians for the Initial Discovery Pool plaintiffs; motions to dismiss the initial discovery pool plaintiffs are pending; initial discovery regarding the newly selected Initial Discovery Pool Case (Petersen) continues; and a replacement for Vanwezel and complete initial discovery as to that plaintiff needs to be completed.
- 2. The parties have conferred and agree to extend the following deadlines by 90 days.

| Event | Current Date | New Date |
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| Selection of 8 cases from Initial Discovery Pool | April 1, 2019 | July 1, 2019 |
| to proceed with expert discovery | | |
| All corporate and case-specific discovery for trial | May 3, 2019 | August 1, 2019 |
| pool cases to be completed | - | _ |
| Plaintiff's expert disclosure due in trial pool cases | June 3, 2019 | September 3, 2019 |
| Defendant's expert disclosure due in trial pool | July 12, 2019 | October 11, 2019 |
| cases | | |

| Memorandum in support of proposed manner of | August 2, 2019 | October 31, 2019 |
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| trial, order of selection of plaintiffs for trial, and | | |
| timing of trials re: trial pool cases due | | |
| Rebuttal expert reports due in trial pool cases | August 9, 2019 | November 7, 2019 |
| Responses to opposing party's memorandum due | August 16, 2019 | November 14, 2019 |
| Court to determine manner of trial, order of | August 30, 2019 | December 2, 2019 |
| selection of plaintiffs for trial, and timing re: trial | | |
| pool cases | | |
| Expert discovery deadline in trial pool cases | September 20, 2019 | December 19, 2019 |
| Dispositive or Daubert motions due re: trial pool | October 18, 2019 | January 16, 2020 |
| cases | | |
| Responses to dispositive or Daubert motions due | November 1, 2019 | January 30, 2020 |
| re: trial pool cases | | |
| Replies to dispositive or Daubert motions due re: | November 8, 2019 | February 6, 2020 |
| trial pool cases | | |
| Deadline for Settlement conference for first trial | January 6, 2020 | April 6, 2020 |
| pool case | | |
| Court to set first trial pool case for trial | February 19, 2020 | May 20, 2020 |

3. No memorandum of law is necessary as the relief requested herein is in the discretion of the Court. LR 7.1(a).

WHEREFORE, the parties respectfully request that this Honorable Court grant this Joint Motion to Extend Deadlines as set forth above, and grant such other and further relief as is fair and just.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that on this day I forwarded a copy of the within document via the Court's ECF system to all counsel of record.

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